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SUBJ: NOTARIAL ACT FOR USE IN PANAMA

SPANISH-OWNED, PANAMANIAN-REGISTERED VESSEL CASTANEA II WENT AGROUND IN COTONOU ON 25 AUGUST, AND SOME MONTHS LATER FLOATED BY BENINESE AUTHORITIES, WHO CHARGED EXORBITANT SALVAGE CHARGES, LEADING TO MUCH LITIGATION. IN MAKING WAY THROUGH LEGAL MAZE, COMPANY AGENT HAD DOCUMENTS SIGNED BY BENINESE HARBOR MASTER, BUT COMPANY INSTRUCTED HIM THAT THIS INSUFFICIENT FOR PANAMANIAN COURTS, AND HE SHOULD GET DOCUMENTS CERTIFIED AT U.S. EMBASSY. CONSUL UNABLE TO ASSURE AGENT THAT HIS CERTIFICATION HAS VALIDITY EITHER. REQUEST CLARIFICATION BY NOVEMBER 22. THOMPSON

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